

CLASSIFICATION **SECRET**COUNTRY East Germany REPORT TOPIC Soviet Troop Trains 25X1EVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED 25X1DATE OF CONTENT DATE OBTAINED DATE PREPARED 2 May 1955 25X1REFERENCES PAGES 2 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) 25X1REMARKS 25X1This is UNEVALUATED Information 25X1

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CB - converted boxcar B - boxcar F - flatcar SSy - heavy-duty flatcar 25X1

1. troop trains between 28 March
and 11 April 1955: 25X1

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Date	Composition of Troop Trains	From	To
28 March	56 cars; 1,200 tons	Erkner	Cottbus, railroad district
30 "	5 CB, 18 B, 20 F	Brandenburg	Wustermark
31 "	6 CB, 18 B, 24 F 10 CB, 3 B, 47 F 12 CB, 2 B, 39 F	" Frankfurt/Oder "	" Baruth "
30 "	9 CB, 2 B, 46 F 10 CB, 3 B, 47 F	Kietz Frankfurt/Oder	" "
31 "	undetermined, 900 tons	Messdorf	Brandenburg
3 April	undetermined, 1000 tons undetermined, including 5 F with military goods exceeding the scheduled load	Halle railroad district Kroepelin	Brandenburg Chemnitz
4 April	undetermined 9 CB, 2 B, 46 F	Brandenburg Jueterbog	Jaevenitz Frankfurt/Oder
11 April	6 CB, 26 F, 16 SSy	Oranienburg	Friedrichswalde

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2. Troop trains included: between 8 and 16 April

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Date in Composition of April	Troop Trains	From	To
8	1 B, 4 SSy with tanks or SP guns	Weisswasser	Cottbus
12	4 B, 4 SSy with 2 JS-3 tanks and 2 SP guns	Cottbus	Lieberose
16	2 B, 5 SSy with tanks or SP guns	"	"

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1. Comment. Two previous reports also mentioned Wustermark as receiving station. It is believed, however, that Wustermark was used as transit station of the Berlin railroad district. The actual receiving station has not been determined.

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2. Comment. The four troop trains probably carried components of the 32d AAA Div to the area east of Jueterbog. The troop train on 4 April 1955 was probably the first train of the return movement to Frankfurt/Oder. Another report indicated that three troop trains of the division returned from Jueterbog and were unloaded at Kietz on 4 and 5 April 1955.

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3. Comment. The troop train probably carried a unit of the 25th Tk Div to Templin.

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